

1 [Accept – Expend State Grant]

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3 **Resolution authorizing the San Francisco Public Library to accept and expend funds in**
4 **the amount of \$5,958,841 from the state Office of Library Construction from funds**
5 **made available under the California Reading and Literacy Improvement and Public**
6 **Library Construction and Renovation Bond Act of 2000 for the renovation and**
7 **expansion of the Richmond/ Senator Milton Marks Branch Library.**

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9 WHEREAS, The voters of the State of California in March 2000 passed Proposition 14,
10 "The California Reading and Literacy Improvement and Public Library Construction and
11 Renovation Bond Act of 2000" ("Bond Act") that provides state matching grants, on a
12 competitive basis, for qualifying library construction and remodeling projects; and

13 WHEREAS, The voters of the City and County of San Francisco in November 2000
14 passed Proposition A, "Branch Library Facilities Improvement Bonds, 2000" that authorized
15 the City to issue general obligation bonds to acquire, remodel, or construct branch libraries
16 and additional library facilities; and

17 WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco applied for a state matching grant
18 under the Bond Act to renovate and expand the Richmond/Senator Milton Marks Branch
19 Library; and

20 WHEREAS, On November 20, 2003 the Library Commission passed a resolution
21 approving the Proposition 14 grant application for the Richmond/Senator Milton Marks Branch
22 Library; and

23 WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors, in Resolution No. 807-03, certified the City's
24 state grant application and committed to provide local matching funds and supplemental funds
25 necessary to complete the project and to dedicate the Richmond/Senator Milton Marks

1 Branch Library to public library direct service use for a period of forty years following
2 completion of the projects, regardless of any operating agreements the City may have with
3 other jurisdictions or parties; and

4 WHEREAS, On November 29, 2004, the members of the California Public Library
5 Construction and Renovation Board voted to award the San Francisco Public Library
6 \$5,958,841 for the Richmond/Senator Milton Marks project; now, therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco hereby authorizes the San
8 Francisco Public Library to accept and expend \$ 5,958,841 in state funds under the California
9 Reading and Literacy Improvement and Public Library Construction and Renovation Bond Act
10 of 2000 for the renovation and expansion of the Richmond/Senator Milton Marks Branch
11 Library.

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Recommended:

Approved: _____

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Mayor

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Department Head

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Controller

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